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**Title: VOLUME TYPE DETERMINATION FOR DISK VOLUMES MANAGED BY A LDM**

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TOTAL CLAIMS	16	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated February 24, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this document, and include an attached replacement drawing sheet.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: